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Minutes of The Caribbean Students' Union, Sir George Williams Campus.
Friday 2 April 1982.

The first meeting of the new executive and the social and cultural committee was held on Friday 2 April. Present were:

Junior Paul.....PRESIDENT

Donovan White.....Vice- PRESIDENT

Agnès Da Costa.....EXE. VICE-PRESIDENT

Michèle Saunders..SECRETARY

Patrick Chatelain.TREASURER

Preston Mark.....P.R.O.

From the social and cultural committee were: Valerie Hernandez, Iothie Wyre, Clarke Thomas, and Lisle Oliver.

The meeting was called to order at 1:37 p.m. The social and cultural aspect of the Union was first on the agenda and it was discussed at length. Incorporated into that was the orientation of new Caribbean students to Concordia. It was felt that there was an urgent need to communicate with these students before and/ upon their arrival at Concordia.

It was suggested that registration booths be set up on campus where new students could ^{sign up} _{as} members of the C.S.U. In addition, flyers were to be put into the students' pre-registration packages telling them of the existence of the C.S.U., and of the on-going events for the coming year, also inviting them to make suggestions.

A newsletter was proposed, and everyone was in agreement. The regularity of this newsletter was not established.

Then came the question of the Loyola and Sir George Caribbean Students' Union working together as one body. After much discussion, there was a general/near general consensus that the C.S.U.s from Loyola, Mc Gill and the Université de Montréal should

get together at least twice a year and exchange what each other had been doing, with also possibilities of the clubs getting together socially.

This led the meeting into a discussion of the on-going commitments of the Union. The graduation dinner and dance was set for May 8 at 6:p.m. on the Sir George campus. The orientation drive was set for September 7,8&9; the first general meeting for September 15, and the orientation party for September 24. The sports week-end was set for October 9-11, with the cultural week following on October 16, 17,&18, show and dance on the 19& 20 respectively. It was also decided that due to the inadequacy as regards practice sessions for the cultural show, rehearsals should start in September for at least once a week.

As regards the annual visits to other universities for their sports week-end, Mc Master and Waterloo appeared to be the two which fitted into a convenient time-slot for Sir George's C.S.U.

The meeting then got into a discussion of new projects. Suggestions were as follows: inter-campus sports with other universities, a fitness club, "rap" sessions in French, fund-raising and educational films, and guest speakers. All new suggestions were agreed to. Next, was the much debated and heated subject-- office hours for the C.S.U. This simmered down to hours being established. Beginning Tuesday April 13 1982, the C.S.U. would be opened each day at 9:00 a.m. until 9:30 p.m. Phone numbers were posted in cases of emergency.

Finally, the 1982 graduates were discussed. Invitees were sorted out. The graduates were allowed one guest each; the C.S.U. members were also allowed one guest each but with an admission

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Single and \$7.00 couple \$18.

of \$5. *each*. Two executive members from Loyola were also invited, along with the Dean of Students, *and* the guest speaker. ALL invitations are R.S.V.P.

On this note, the meeting came to a close at 4:12 p.m.

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PRESIDENT
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SECRETARY
Michèle Saunders